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OF FORMING A DIELECTRIC FILM

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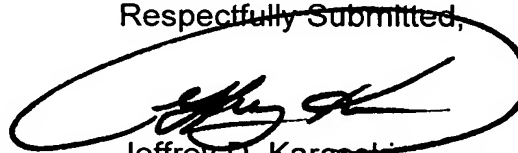
Sir:

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This U.S. patent reference was cited by the Examiner in a Notice of Allowance for co-pending related application Serial No. 10/721,473, which bears a mailing date of June 23, 2004, less than three months ago.

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